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Applicant(s): Ju-Long LEE, et al.)
Serial No.: 10/735,803) Group: 2871
Filing Date: December 12, 2003) Examiner: unknown
(as amended))
Our ref.: B-5325 621558-0
For: "REPAIR METHOD FOR DEFECTS IN)
DATA LINES AND FLAT PANEL)
DISPLAY INCORPORATING THE) Date: May 10, 2004
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MAIL STOP PETITION
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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The subject application was submitted pursuant to the Express Mail Procedure of 37 CFR 1.10. The application was deposited with the United States Postal Service (USPS) in an Express Mail envelope with sufficient postage for Express Mailing on December 12, 2003 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.10, but the returned postcard and official filing receipt (copies enclosed) indicate that the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) considered the filing date to be December 11, 2003.

Enclosed is a copy of the new application transmittal letter from our files. The new application transmittal letter contains a Certification of Express Mailing Date under 37 CFR 1.10 and proper reference to Express Mail Label Number EV301024655US as required by Section 1.10. This information is also contained in the files of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Suzanne Johnston, the person mailing the papers pursuant to 37 CFR 1.10, has signed a verified statement that the new application was

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Also enclosed herewith is a copy of the Express Mail Label Number EV301024655US returned from the USPS showing the "date-in" to be December 12, 2003, as well as a receipt from the USPS showing the date of acceptance of the Express Mail Label Number EV301024655US to be December 12, 2003.

Applicant has complied with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.10 and is entitled to a filing date of December 12, 2003. Therefore, please update all of the records in the USPTO to indicate that the filing date of the above-identified application December 12, 2003; and please advise us in writing that the USPTO considers

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This correction is not due to any error by the Applicant; therefore, no official fee should be due. The Commissioner is

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4A-4B, 5, 6A-6B, 7, 8A-8B, 9, 10A-10B, 11, 12A-12B, 13, 14A-14B, 15, 16); Claim
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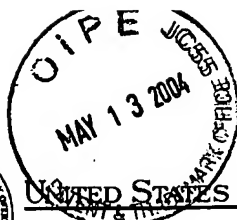
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Applicant(s)

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Assignment For Published Patent Application

AU Optronics Corp.;

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Title

Repair method for defects in data lines and flat panel display incorporating the same

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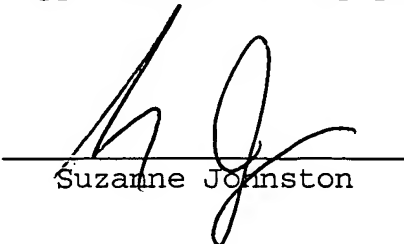
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VERIFICATION

I am the person who mailed the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR. 1.10 on December 12, 2003; and I verify that the subject application with all of the items required under 35 U.S.C. 371 were deposited with the United States Postal Service in an Express Mail envelope with sufficient postage for Express Mailing on December 12, 2003.

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Date: December 12, 2003

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Sir:

NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): (1) Ju-Long LEE (2) Yi-Hsiang LIN

NOTE: Patent must be applied for in the name of all
of the actual inventor or inventors.

For: "REPAIR METHOD FOR DEFECTS IN DATA LINES AND FLAT PANEL DISPLAY
INCORPORATING THE SAME"

Enclosed are:

1. The Papers Required For Filing Date Under 37 CFR 1.53(b):

17 Pages of specification 1 Page of abstract 5 Pages of claims

16 Sheets of drawings [X] formal [] informal
(Figs. 1-3, 4A-4B, 5, 6A-6B, 7, 8A-8B, 9, 10A-10B, 11,
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[X] In addition to the above papers there is also attached

[] Pages of a Preliminary Amendment dated

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[X] Declaration/Power of Attorney (4 pages)

[] Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status--
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[X] Claim to Priority (1 page) with

[X] Certified Copy of Taiwanese Application No. 92103274

[] Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages) and

Form PTO-1449 (modified) (1 page) with

copies of documents cited in Form PTO-1449 (modified)

[X] Assignment Cover Sheet (1 page), Assignment document (1 page),
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2. Declaration or oath

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Executed by:

☒ inventor(s)

☐ legal representative of inventor(s) 37 CFR 1.42 or 1.43

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☐ petition and statement required by 37 CFR 1.47 also attached. See item 7 below for fee.

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3. Assignment

☒ An assignment of the invention to AU Optronics Corp.
(with separate cover sheet and separate check for \$40.00)

4. Certified Copies

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from which priority is claimed.

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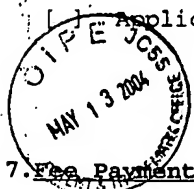
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☐ Fee for extra claims is not being paid at this time

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Filing Fee Calculation \$ 806.00

6. Small Entity Statement



Applicants claim small entity status

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